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SUBJECT: TIN -- MEETING OF ITC COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT. MAY 17

- 1. THE COMMITTEE ON DEVELOPMENT (COD) OF THE INTERNATIONAL TIN COUNCIL WILL MEET TUESDAY, MAY 17. AS SUGGESTED IN THIGPEN/HEWITT LETTER OF APRIL 6, WE PROPOSE EMBOFF DENNIS SANDBERG TO REPRESERT U.S.
- 2. DRAFT AGENDA FOR THE MEETING FOLLOWS:
  - (1) ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA
  - (2) SUMMARY RECORDS OF FIRST AND SECOND MEETINGS (THE SUMMARY RECORDS OF THE FIRS AND SECOND MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEE HAVE BEEN CIRCULATED AS COD NOS. 7 AND 10 RESPECTIVELY).
- (3) MATTERS ARISING FROM THE SUMMARY RECORDS
- (4) WORK FOR THE ECONOMIC AND PRICE REVIEW PANEL (IT WILL BE RECALLED THAT, AT ITS SECOND MEETING, THE COMMITTEE ADOPTED THE PROGRAMME OF WORK FOR THE ECONOMIC AND PRICE REVIEW PANEL, CIRCULATED AS COD NO. 9: CAP NO. 15.

  THE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE, AS LISTED IN THE UNCLASSIFIED

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PROGRAMME, FALLS UNDER THE TWO MAIN HEADINGS OF PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION, AND IT WAS AGREED THAT THE MOST USEFUL INITIAL RESPONSE TO THE INFORMATION REQUIRED UNDER THESE HEADINGS WOULD BE TO REQUEST FROM EACH MEMBER GOVERNMENT A STATEMENT OF ITS VIEWS ON THE OUTLOOK OR PROSPECTS IN THE FIELDS OF TIN PRODUCTION AND

CONSUMPTION, INCLUDING DATA ON EXISTING CAACITY AND CAOACITY UTILISATION.

MEMBER GOVERNMENTS WERE, ACCORDINGLY, INVITED TO SUBMIT STATEMENTS TO THE SECRETARIAT BY 10 MAY 1977.

IT WAS FURTHER AGREED THAT, ON THE PRODUCTION REPRESENTATIVE OF THE SECRETARIAT VISITING SOME MEMBER GOVERNMENTS FOR ON-THE-SPOT CONSULTATIONS WITH THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES. A REPORT WILL BE CIRCULATED).

- (5) WORLD PRIMARY TIN SMELTING FACILITIES (A REPORT WILL BE CIRCULATED).
- (6) RE-CYCLING OF TIN-CONTAINING MATERIALS AND USES OF SECONDARY TIN (A REPORT WILL BE MADE)
- (7) FUTURE WORK OF THE COMMITTEE

  (ARISING FROM ITS CONSIDERATION OF ITEM 4

  ABOVE, THE COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER WHAT AREAS

  COULD USEFULLY BE DEVELOPED THROUGH FUTURE

  STUDIES).
- (8) REPORT TO THE ECONOMIC AND PRICE REVIEW PANEL (THE COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER THE FORM OF ITS REPORT TO THE ECONOMIC AND PRICE REVIEW PANEL).
- (9) ANY OTHER BUSINESS
- (L0) REPORT TO THE COUNCIL.
- 3. AT THE MAY 10 MEETING OF THE CAP/WP, DELEGATES SUBMITTED THE REORTS TO BE DISCUSSED UNDER ITEM 4 AND DELEGATES WERE URGED TO COMPLY SOOEST. UNCLASSIFIED

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4. ACTION REQUESTED: (A) STATEMENT REQUIRED ON ORODUCTION/CONSUMPTION OUTLOOK FOR DISCUSSION UNDER ITEM 4.

(B) GUIDANCE AS DEPARTMENT DEEMS NECESSARY ON ANY AGENDA ITEM.

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